MEXICO.

Gentus has the wisdom of age in its

Touth. Peace has her victories no less than

war-and then there's football, Ballooning lacks one thrilling phase. There are no speed ordinances to be

Will the couple who were married in the Lake Erie lighthouse do lightho-no, say it yourself.

The brave, gay, generous and lighthearted bear the strokes of fate with equanimity and indomitable courage.

It is probably no more true that tin soldiers make fighters of boys than it is that Teddy bears make growlers

The claim that prunes cause baidness was started by some doctor who was trying to make trouble for his landlady.

A Harvard professor says aversion to work is really illness. Here is where an indefinite lay-off is going to be asked.

in New York to build airships. But notwithstanding its object, it will not use inflated capital. Balloon travel is rapidly becoming

An association has been organized

more safe and scientific. We may all fly yet, even if some of us never get a chance to wear wings. Earthly fame, wealth and glory are

as evanescent as the cardinal rays of the setting sun that drops into darkest storms and eternal night. A swarm of bees lit on a Philadelphia policeman. The fact that one

man woke up made a nice little piece of news for the local papers. Diogenes was not like a modern

muck-raker or investigator. He did not go around looking for dishonesty. He knew it was always there. Several men have been convicted

and sent to prison in New York for stealing electricity. This naturally comes under the head of shocking crimes.

They are putting monkeys in jail in New Jersey. This looks as though the law of that state was making near-human efforts to getting itself enforced.

Marconi has harnessed that air, but whether he can drive it as he pleases remains to be seen. He is, however, one of the dreamers that Boyle O'Reilly says live forever. The body is quickly buried and lost

in the dust of centuries, but the spirit of thought, that moves us every moment for good or ill, has immortal lineage and cannot be destroyed.

A wicked conscience is the most devilish companion that mortals can harbor, for even in the success of its villainy it is tortured with uncertainty, anxiety, dread and plutonic re-

The women's literary clubs of Michigan have started a novel contest as to which club shall add the most chilyear. Race suicide will have to take the count.

A Wisconsin court has decided that a cigarette with a tobacco wrapper is not a cigarette, and does not violate the anti-cigarette law. This is an easy road to liberty. The tobacco wrappers are better than the paper ones, any-

Now a vessel is to be built to outclass the Lusitania. Perhaps in the future seagoing vessels of any kind will be dispensed with entirely and speedseekers will be simply hurled across the ocean through pneumatic tubes at telegraphic velocity

English experts who have been investigating report that the gold still to be dug out of the mines in the Rand district of South Africa may be estimated at \$5,000,000,000,000. With that much gold in circulation the world would have quantity as well as quality.

Brazil, distinguished in the merry "Charley's Aunt," as the place "where the nuts come from," is also distinguished as a place where ideas grow, Thirty Brazilian merchants and professional men are visiting this country, in obedience to the advice which Secretary Root gave to all the Americas to "get acquainted."

Mrs. Russell Sage, having lately Searned that a debt of \$2,000, contracted by her father in 1844, had been paid, has forwarded a check for the amount to the heirs of the creditor. If she had paid interest on the sum for the 63 years the check would have been larger, but probably the heirs are thankful to get the principal.

When a man has done his work shall be stop and play? Rev. Dr. Scott of Worcester, Mans., who has resigned from his pulpit after 30 years of service in order to devote himself to golf, thinks he has carned this playtime, and he doubtless has. The trouble is that when a man works for 20 years without giving any time to gleasure he commonly does not know how to play. A due amount of diversion at intervals along the road is the safer and more satisfactory plan. It would tend to postpone the day when a man must retire from active work. STILL AHEAD OF AUDIENCE.

Comedian Made Humor of What Was Approaching Tragedy.

"Willie" Collier, the comedian, was an irrepressible member of a barnstorming combination which, some ten years ago, did the "tank" towns of the middle west.

The company had been doing a poor business for several weeks when a certain town in Illinois was reached. Just before the curtain went up that night, Collier was standing at the eurtain "peep-hole," sizing up the audi-

"How's the house, Willie?" asked

another player. "Well," answered Collier, "there are ome out there. But," he added, impressively, "we're still in the majority, old boy, still in the majority!" -Harper's Weekly.

BABY ITCHED TERRIBLY.

Face and Neck Covered with Inflamed Skin-Doctors No Avail-Cured by Cuticura Remedies.

"My baby's face and neck were covered with itching skin similar to eczema, and she suffered terribly for over a year. I took her to a number of doctors, and also to different colleges, to no avail. Then Cuticura Remedies were recommended to me by Miss G-I did not use it at first, as I had tried so many other remedies without any favorable results. At last I tried Cuticura Boap, Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent Pills, and to my surprise noticed an improvement. After using three boxes of the Cuticura Ointment, together with the Soan and Pills, I am pleased to say she is altogether a different child and the picture of healtth. Mrs. A. C. Brestlin, 171 N. Lincoln St., Chicago, Ill., Oct. 20 and 30, 1906,"

Why Streets Are Straight.

"There is no mystery about the streets of New York," complained the aesthetic stranger. "It is all straight up and down. North, south, east, west; all straight paths. No crossouts and alleys, no zigzag turns and twists and cowpaths, as in London and Paris. Just long, straight, uninterrupted roads."

"Built that way purposely," a native explained. "When the average New Yorker has to go home, he needs a straight road."

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarth Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, C., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarth Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohto, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Tennis and Temperament.

In a tennis tournament (more truthfully than in a confessional) are revealed the good and bad qualities of human nature. The man who loses gracefully, plays with a bad partner without afterwards alluding to his deficiencies, and honestly admires an opponent's skill, may be trusted not to fail in any other trial of life.—London Black and White.

Had to Have Her Tobacco.

One of the inmates of Towcester workhouse, a woman aged 84 years has applied to the board of guardians for an allowance of tobacco. She said she had smoked 71 years and missed her pipe so much since entering the house she could not digest her food. The board decided to comply with her request.-London Globe.

A Delicate Task, "The newspapers," said the orator solemnly, "do not tell the truth."

"Perhaps not," answered the editor, regretfully. "We do our best. But you know there is nothing more difficult than to tell the truth in a way that won't put it up to some one to challenge your veracity."

Word Derivatives,

"Petrel" and "petrol" both descend from "petra," a rock. "Petrol" comes directly enough, through "petroleum," rock oil, but "petrel" through St. Peter, after whom the bird was named, because it appeared to walk upon the waves.

WHAT WAS IT

The Woman Feared?

What a comfort to find it is not "the awful thing" feared, but only chronic indigestion, which proper food can re-

A woman in Ohio says:
"I was troubled for years with indigestion and chronic constipation. At times I would have such a gnawing

in my stomach that I actually feared I had a-I dislike to write or even think of what I feared. "Seeing an account of Grape-Nuts I decided to try it. After a short time I was satisfied the trouble was not the awful thing I feared but was still

of a bad case of dyspepsia by chang-ing from improper food to Grape-Nuts. "Since that time my bowels have been as regular as a clock. I had also noticed before I began to eat Grape-Nuts that I was becoming forgetful of

bad enough. However, I was relieved

where I put little things about the house, which was very annoying. "But since the digestive organs have become strong from eating Grape-Nuts, my memory is good and my mind as clear as when I was young, and I am thankful." Name given by Fostum Co., Battle Creak, Mich. Read the little bucklet, "The Read to Well-ville," in packages. "There's a reason."

## WESTERN CANADA A WINNER

THE CROP OF 1907 IS AN EXCEL-LENT ONE.

Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Farmers Doing Well.

The interest that Western Canada has aroused for some years past is growing in intensity. The conditions of the crop of 1907 are such that results can be spoken of with some degree of certainty. The yield of grain will be about 80,000,000 bushels and the price the farmers will realize for it will be upwards of seventy million dollars. The oat crop was good in most places, and the crop of barley will be very remunerative. Those who know of the generally unsatisfactory conditions during the seeding, growing and ripening period in the United States during the past season, will look with righteous distrust on any statement intended to give the impression that Western Canada conditions were so much different. Generally, they were not, but the conditions of a highly recuperative soil, long and continuous sunshine, are conditions possessed by Western Canada and not possessed by any other country on the Continent. This is why it is possible to record today a fairly successful crop, when in most other places the opposite is the case. The yield in all grains is less than last year, but the higher prices obtained more than offset any falling off in the yield. Take for instance the Province of Saskatchewan the wheat crop will be worth \$21,135,000. Last year the same crop was 35 per cent, larger and the quality better. The yield was worth \$24,000,000. Oats and barley are very important factors in all three central Provinces. At Gladstone, Manltoba, returns from one farm were \$27 per acre from the wheat land, \$35 per acre from oats, and \$30 per acre from barley. The yield of wheat at Dauphin, Manitoba, was 20 to 24 bushels to the acre but not of a very good grade, but the yield of barley in that section was good and so was the quality and price. At Meadow Lea, Manitoba, 15 to 20 bushels to the acre were thrashed, bringing a round dollar on the market. At Oak Lake, Manitoba. on some fields where 21 bushels were expected, twelve and fifteen was the result: others again where twenty was looked for gave twenty-two to twentyfive. One special patch south of town on J. M. McFarlane's farm went as high as thirty bushels to the acre. At Sheho, Saskatchewan, oats yielded from 60 to 65 bushels to the acre. Sam Wunder threshed 2,500 bushels from forty acres. The sample is good and weighs well. At Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, W. Bibby threshed 97 bushels of oats to the acre, and two others were but little behind. Wheat here reached 35 bushels. At Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, from a quarter section all in crop, Alex. McKinnon of Ingleside threshed an average of 33 bushels No. 1 Northern, I. J. Grant had 190 acres, yielding 6,000 bushels of the same grade. These illustrations taken from widely distant districts (and thousands of others could be produced) show that the year 1907 has not felt the serious effects from severe winter, late spring, or unfavorable conditions during the growing season hat might have been entitionated In

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That the young fellow had grit was ovident from the fact that his business, from nothing, had in a few years begun to bring in a fairish income. He made up his mind to get married. The girl-although the daughter of a pompous country resident—agreed with him; but the father did not see things in the same light.

"What! You?" he yelled, angrily, "You want to marry my daughter! Why, it is only a few years since you

were caddying for me." "That's true!" interrupted the young man, "but I don't intend to let that stand in the way. The language you then used was certainly a trifle-say blue-tinted; but then you were under the influence of disappointment. After all, you know, a very bad golfer may make a very good father-in-law. Anyhow, I'm going to give you a chance."

Ambiguous.

A Washington correspondent who used to run a newspaper in Iowa tells how the heavy advertiser of the town once entered the editorial offices and, with anger and disgust depicted in every line of his face, exclaimed:

"That's a fine break you people have made in my ad. this week!" "What's the trouble?" asked the editor, in a tone calculated to mollify

the indignant one. "Read it and see!" commanded the advertiser, thrusting a copy of the pa-

per in the editor's face. The latter read: "If you want to have a fit wear Blank's shoes."-Harper's Weekly.

WOMAN KNEW HUMAN NATURE.

Personal Experience Counted in Her Indoresment of New Paster.

A Philadelphia congregation was called upon not long ago to choose a pastor. The last three ministers had been persons non grata with most of the parishioners; and before selecting another the congregation did some pretty hard thinking. There was one woman of experience whose voice carried particular weight. Preacher after preacher was invited to the pulpit for a trial sermon, and all, in the final analysis, were rejected by the female arbiter. At last there came along a possible incumbent who met with her approval.

"The reason I am sure he will give satisfaction," she said, "is because he has the right kind of a wife for a minister. She allows him to rant around all he wants at home and doesn't sass back. I found out a long while ago-shortly after I was married myself, in fact-that a man who hasn't that privilege at home works off his spleen elsewhere. A minister vents it on his congregation. That was why we couldn't stand the last preacher. This one will be all right. We won't hear a peep out of him."

And upon that unique recommendation the congregation really did give the man a call. According to last accounts both he and the congregation were doing well. The wife has not been heard from.

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A city lad spent a part of last summer on a farm owned by his uncle. It was the boy's first visit to the country, and everything on the farm was delightfully unfamiliar to him.

One afternoon the youngster, who had been prowling about the chicken house, seized the product of one cackling hen, and marched exultantly into the house with his prize.

"Let me have it, son," said the farmer's wife, "and I'll cook it for your luncheon."

"You must think I'm a greenhorn, auntie!" exclaimed the boy. "I guess the hen cooked it all right. warm."-Harper's Weekly.

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His Ear to the Ground. "Do you expect people to believe all that you tell them?" "That is not the idea," answered the sagacious campaigner. "The way to win the hearts

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Little things are little things, but to be faithful in little things is to be great.-St. Augustine.

Discouraged?

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The Final Shower. "And you say when the helress be-came the wife of the foreign noble-

man it was a shower wedding?" "I should say so. The bride wore a

Yes. "And then there was a shower of

"My!" "Followed by a shower of congratu-

lations and old shoes." "Well! Well! And bow did it end

"Very embarrassing all round. The nobleman's creditors came around and presented a shower of bills."

Electric Motor Scarf Pin. The smallest-motor is that made by German mechanic. It is worked by a battery deposited in his coat pocket, and be uses the motor as a scarf pin. It is working all the time, simply to show that it is an actual working motor. It is curious to see the little wheels revolving as the machine rests on the scart.

First Chorus Girl-Nellie ain't feelin' well. She's gotta sore throat. Second Chorus Girl-Chee, the noive of 'er putting on airs like a primmer donn.-Kansas City Post.

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writes: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:-

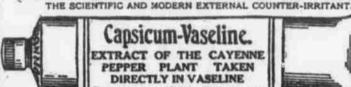
"Sometime ago I wrote you for advice about a tumor which the doctors thought would have to be removed. Instead I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and to-day am a well woman

Mrs. M. M. Funk, Vandergrift, Pa., writes: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:-

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vincing evidence that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound stands Compound. Your medicine removed a cyst tumor of four years' growth. Growths as well as other distributions as which three of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as which three of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of the best physicians ills of women, and such symptoms as the cyst tumor of tumo ments, Irregularities and Backache, etc. Women should remember that it advice and took your medicine. It has is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that is curing so many women. and I shall recommend it as long as Don't forget to insist upon it when some druggist asks you to accept something else which he calls "just as good."

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